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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: NI et al.

Attorney Docket No.: LAM1P111/P0513

Application No.: 09/347,583

Examiner: DEO, Duy Vu Nguyen

Filed: June 30, 1999

Group: 1765

Title: MOVEABLE BARRIER FOR MULTIPLE

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	4	MINUS	20	0	x 9 =	x 18 = \$-0-
Independent Claims	1	MINUS	3	0	x 42 =	x 84 = \$-0-
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$140.00	\$280.00
				Total	\$	\$-0-

Applicant(s) hereby petition for a ____ month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.

Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0388 (Order No. LAM1P111).

Enclosed is our Check No. ____ in the amount of \$____ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.

Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 50-0388 (Order No. LAM1P111).

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 28, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.